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SUBJ: IRAQ-TURKEY PIPELINE PROJECT

REF: ANKARA 6242, 6243, 6325, 6678

- 1. TURKISH CHARGE TOLD ME AUG 23 THAT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN TPAO AND INOC ARE NOT PROCEEDING TOO WELL. INOC HAS OFFERED TURKEY LESS IN TRANSIT ROYALITIES THAN IT IS PAYING SYRIA. IN ADDITION, INOC NOT GUARANTEEING TURKEY RIGHT TO PURCHASE AS LARGE QUANTITIES OF OIL AS TURKEY WOULD LIKE. THESE DIFFERENCES WILL BE AMONG SUBJECTS DISCUSSED DURING FOREIGN MINISTER ABDUL BAQI'S AUGUST 25-28 VISIT TO TURKEY. VISIT IS IN RETURN FOR SEPTEMBER 1972 VISIT OF TURKISH FORMIN TO IRAQ.
- 2. USINT GREATLY APPRECIATED REFTELS FROM ANKARA SINCE SUCH INFO HRD TO OBTAIN HERE. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE FULLEST POSSIBLE REPORTING ON ABDUL BAQI'S VISIT.
- 3. FOR DEPT: PLEASE POUCH BAGHDAD COPY OF USDOC RESPONSE TO ANKARA 6678. LOWRIE

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